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LB 100, 237, 244, 244A, 400, 718A, 731, 795

Legislative Journal.) 17 ayes, 22 nays, Madam President, on the motion to override LB 100.

PRESIDENT MOUL: The motion fails. Mr. Clerk, do you have items for the record?

CLERK: I do, Madam President, thank you. Senator Dierks has amendments to LB 400 to be printed. I have a new A bill. (Read LB 718A by title for the first time. See pages 1393-94 of the Legislative Journal.)

Madam President, I have the report of registered lobbyists for this past week, as required by statute. That's all that I have.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Thank you, Mr. Clerk. While the Legislature is in session and capable of transacting business, I propose to sign and do sign the following legislative bills: LB 731, LB 237, LB 244, LB 244A. Proceed with General File, LB 795.

CLERK: Madam President, 795, introduced by Senator Hall. (Read title.) The bill was introduced on January 23, referred to the General Affairs Committee, advanced to General File. I do have committee amendments pending by the General Affairs Committee.

PRESIDENT MOUL: Senator Smith.

SENATOR SMITH: Thank you, Madam President. Members of the body, just a quick summary of what the bill does. LB 795 seeks to remove from the Nebraska County and City Lottery Act the authority of a city or village to tax, regulate, control, or prohibit a local option lottery established by a county, which is located within the corporate limits of such city or village. If LB 795 is enacted, a county, city, or village would only be able to tax, regulate, or control its respective lottery. The committee amendments strike the original sections of the bill and inserts the new Section 9-643, which provides that any county with a population of 300,000 or more inhabitants, which would be Douglas County, may tax, regulate, or control its respective lottery conducted within the boundaries of the city or village within such county. So the effect of this amendment then is to limit the application of LB 795 to Douglas County only. In addition, the Standing Committee amendments provide that a county which conducts keno may conduct keno at not more than five satellite locations within a city or village, in addition to the main keno location. Basically, that's what the